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SUBJECT: HCARLTON FOOTBALL CLUB USA TOUR FROM AUSTRALIA

REF: MELBOURNE 1884

SUMMARY: DISCRIBES ARRANGEMENTS MADE FOR CFC TEAM. END SUMMARY.

PER SCHMITZ/CURRAN TELCON 70SEP, REPEATED BELOW IS MESSAGE TEXT
CONCERNING YOUR REQUEST FOR ASSISTANCE ON CFC PROJECT.

QUOTE REQUEST USTS/TOKYO SCHMITZ COUNSEL MELBOURNE BY PHONE
AS SOON AS POSSIBLE ON REF CABLE SUPPORT REQUEST. WE FULLY
UNDERSTAND SUBSTANTIAL POTENTIAL BENEFITS FROM PROJECT BUT
NEITHER USTS NOR ANY OF OTHERS ADDRESSED IN CABLE HAVE NECESSARY
RESOURCES AVAILABLE TO PROVIDE ALL REQUESTED SUPPORT WITHIN TIME
CONSTRAINTS IMPLIED. PLS ADVISE MELBOURNE THAT THE FOLLOWING
HAS BEEN ACCOMPLISHED. 1. CHRIS HILLS IN LOS ANGELES
(213-488-9100) AND FRANK ABEEL IN SAN FFANCISCO (415-626-50000)
CONVENTION AND VISITORS BUREAUS HAVE BEEN ALERTED BY USTS AND
WILL PROVIDE GUIDANCE TO TV TEAM AS REQUESTED BUT ARE UNABLE
TO PROVIDE ESCORT.

2. ED KARNACKI OF HAWAII RECEPTION CENTER (808-546-7152) WILL
MEET GROUP UPON ARRIVAL HONOLULU. HAWAII OFFICIALS ARE NOT
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WILLING TO PRMIT CFC EXHIBITION GAME TO INTERFERE WITH
HOMECOMING FOOTBALL GAME PROGRAM SCHEDULE. IT MIGHT BE
POSSIBLE FOR CFC TEAM TO HOLD PRACTICE GAME AT UNIVERSITY
FIELD AT OTHER TIME BUT THIS POSSIBILITY SHOULD BE NEGOTIATED
DIRECTLY BETWEEN CFC AND UNIVERSITY OFFICIALS. APPARENTLY
ADVANCE CFC TEAM REP MARSH HAD PREVIOUSLY APPROACHED
UNIVERSITY OFFICIALS FOR EXHIBITION GAME WITH NO SUCCESS.

THE CFC TEAM SCHEDULING REQUESTS INCLUDED IN REF CABLE
APPEAR TO BE ACTIONS THAT SHOULD BE BEST HANDLED DIRECTLY
BY CFC EXECUTIVES. TV TEAM SUPPORT ON THE OTHER HAND DOES
APPEAR MORE APPROPRIATE FOR A USTS ROLE BUT A PROJECT
OFFICER WOULD BE REQUIRED TO COORDINATE ALL ARRANGEMENTS
AND CONSIDERABLE TIME WOULD BE REQUIRED WHICH WE DO NOT HAVE.
WE RECOMMEND THAT FUTURE LARGE SCALE VISIT USA TYPE
PROJECTS SUCH AS THIS BE COORDINATED AT CRITICAL STAGES
WITH USTS/TOKYO BEFORE BEING SENT TO THE USA, ESPECIALLY WHEN
SUPPORT REQUIREMENTS ARE AS WIDELY ADDRESSED AS REF CABLE
WHICH RESULTED IN SOME DEGREE OF INITIAL CONFUSION AMONG
RECIPIENTS.

WE ALSO SUGGEST LOCAL MELBOURNE USIS SUPPORT INTEREST BE
EXPLORED FOR PROJECT. UNQUOTE.
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